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Because of Kai's beautiful face, the flame of desire grows ever stronger—
KAREN
Chapter 2

WHAT IS THIS?
—A MOSQUITO NET?
ARE WE SLEEPING IN HERE?
WAH— IT CAN BLOCK OUT INSECTS, HOW CONVENIENT
That time too.

It was a summer day.

Since that time, I have already...

STICK
begun to like him...
HEY
LET GO OF ME. IT'S TOO NARROW HERE
IT'D BE FINE IF WE SQUEEZE TOGETHER
C'MON, JUST GO TO SLEEP
HOW STINGY—
LET'S SLEEP HERE TOGETHER

This room too.

I never thought that this place would remain exactly the same since I left.
When I was little,
I always used to sleep with Kai in this room.
NIICHAN
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HOW COME MASAKI WOKE UP?
WHY ISN'T MOMMY HERE?
MOTHER...
WENT TO A PLACE FAR, FAR AWAY
WHERE IS THAT FARAWAY PLACE?
A STORE?
WHEN IS SHE COMING BACK?
SHE WON'T...
COME BACK ANYMORE

W-WHY... I WON'T ALLOW IT...
I WON'T ALLOW IT...
STOP CRYING ACT LIKE A MAN
WON'T COME BACK ANYMORE?
sob
sob
DON'T CRY.

I WILL ACCOMPANY YOU
TO SLEEP
REALLY?
ONIICHAN,
REALLY?
I WILL PROTECT YOU IN PLACE OF MOTHER

.....
I REMEMBERED A LOT OF UNNECESSARY THINGS
BE BY YOUR SIDE
TILL ALWAYS

DAMN.

WHAT ARE YOU GOING OUT?
THERE'S A MEETING THAT I HAVE TO GO TO.
IS THAT SO—
GOOD MORNING!
I'M HUNGRY. WHAT ABOUT BREAKFAST?

IT'S ALREADY COOKED
AH, GREAT
.....
YOU SURE ARE LIVING LEISURELY
THEN SHOULD I GET UP EARLY?
IN TOKYO, WHEN THE SUN RISES IS WHEN I'D GO TO BED!
MASAKI, OFTEN STAYS UP DRINKING WITH THE CUSTOMERS UNTIL MORNING
THAT'S MY JOB AFTER ALL.

OH YEAH,
ARE THERE ANY ATTRACTIONS AROUND HERE? TAKE ME AROUND
AH—?
HOW CAN THERE BE SOMEWHERE LIKE THAT AROUND HERE?
KAI-SAMA.
IT'S TIME.
IF WE DON'T GO NOW
I UNDERSTAND.

AH— THAT WAS DELICIOUS!
THE LOCAL FOOD AND DRINKS ARE ALL SO FANTASTIC YOUR HOME IS A REALLY AWESOME PLACE
HOW COME YOU NEVER COME BACK?

HEY...
ARE YOU REALLY GOING TO TAKE OVER AS THE GROUP LEADER?
NO WAY.
WHO'D WANT TO STAY IN THIS BORING COUNTRY-SIDE?
I DON'T MIX IN WITH THE RURAL YAKUZA.
TO TRY TO TIE ME DOWN WITH THEIR RELATIONS AND PRINCIPLES NOW IS ABSOLUTELY IMPOSSIBLE.
THAT'S GREAT—!
FOR A MOMENT THERE I EVEN WONDERED IF I'D HAVE TO BECOME THE ANEKI,
BUT REALLY, THIS PLAC IS STILL INCONVENIENT THERE ARE NO HAIRDRESSING SHOPS OR SALONS.
WHAT ANEKI? YOU'RE ONLY MY WORK PARTNER

HEY...
MASAKI, YOU'RE REALLY MEAN.
WHAT DID YOU SAY?
SO MEAN
CHE
GRAB
YOU'VE GONE OUT WITH SO MANY YET YOU'RE STILL SO SELF-CENTERED...
YOU NEVER REFUSE ANYBODY, BUT YOU'RE NEVER SINCERE TO ANYONE
BUT I STILL LIKE YOU

DON'T COME SO CLOSE TO ME.
WHY NOT?
MAKING LOVE ASIDE, WE HAVEN'T EVEN KISSED IN A LONG TIME
I DON'T FEEL LIKE IT RIGHT NOW.
NE...
LET'S DO IT
THEN, LET ME HELP YOU GET IN THE MOOD
IDIOT!
LET GO OF ME.

HE SAW...?

WHAT?
YOU GOT SOMETHING TO SAY?
WHY ARE YOU HERE ANYWAYS?
STIFFEN
COULD IT BE THAT YOU'RE WAITING FOR US TO COME BACK?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING? YOU'RE JUST BEING OVER-PROTECTIVE
I'M NOT A LITTLE KID ANYMORE SO YOU DON'T NEED TO WORRY ABOUT ME
KAI...?

DON'T DO SUCH DISGRACEFUL THINGS OUTSIDE.
WHAT'S WITH THAT ATTITUDE?
clenching
IS YOUR BROTHER ANGRY?
WHO CARES ABOUT HIM.

KAI-SAMA.

WHAT'S WRONG?
THIS ISN'T LIKE YOU.
ISN'T LIKE ME?
YOU HAVE FLAMING AMBITIONS AND STRONG SELF-CONTROL
NO MATTER WHERE YOU ARE, THOSE ARE ESSENTIAL QUALITIES FOR THOSE WHO WISH FOR POWER.
THAT IS THE REASON WHY THE FUJISHIRO GROUP DID NOT DISBAND IN THE YEAR THAT THE FORMER MASTER BECAME BEDRIDDEN

...MASAKI IS
YET THE PERFECT YOU WOULD LOSE YOURSELF TO YOUR EMOTIONS ONLY WHEN DEALING WITH MATTERS CONCERNING MASAKI-SAMA.
MY ONLY RELATIVE
RELATIVE?

LET GO.
YOUR HAND.
KIJIMA..?
SINCE LONG AGO, YOU HAVE UNDERSTOOD.
MY FEELINGS.

THAT'S WHY YOU TOOK ADVANTAGE OF ME SEVEN YEARS AGO.
KIJIMA...
YOU USED ME
TO MAKE HIM GIVE UP
WORRIED ABOUT YOUR LITTLE BROTHER'S FUTURE
AT THAT TIME
YOU DISCOVERED MASAKI-S'S FEELINGS FOR YOU

WHAT A CRUEL PERSON.
AND THEN JUST AS YOU THOUGHT
HE LEFT YOU.
BUT, THANKS TO THAT INCIDENT, EVER SINCE THEN...
YOU AND I HAVE BECOME ACCOMPLICES
KIJIMA.

ONLY THIS CANNOT BE BROKEN BY ANYONE ELSE.
EVEN IF
IT'S MASAKI-SAMA.
LET...
GO.

IN THESE SEVEN YEARS, YOU WERE NOT MOVED BY ANYONE. YOU WERE MORE PRIDEFUL THAN ANYONE.
HOWEVER,
THE YOU OF NOW
IN THESE SEVEN YEARS, YOU WERE NOT MOVED BY ANYONE. YOU WERE MORE PRIDEFUL THAN ANYONE.
KIJIMA
LET GO OF ME!
AND IF I DON'T, WHAT WILL YOU DO?

WILL YOU KILL ME?
WHAT'S WRONG?
YOU GO BACK TO THE ROOM FIRST.

EH...
THAT CAN'T BE POSSIBLE.
WHY WOULD KAI CRY?
It's the first time that I've seen that kind of expression.
It's as if he's about to cry.
咚当
Sfx: thump
...?
KAI...?

OI...
WHAT ARE YOU GUYS DOING?

YOU STILL DON'T UNDER-STAND?
—...GET OUT.
I'LL TAKE MY LEAVE.

.....
WHAT DO YOU WANT?
ACTING ALL SUPERIOR AND LECTURING OTHERS,
YET YOU YOURSELF IS DOING SOMETHING LIKE THIS AS IF IT'S NOTHING

WHOM YOU HAVE AN AFFAIR WITH HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH ME AT ALL.
WERE YOU FUCKED BY THAT MAN?
HEY.
THAT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU.
YOU'RE RIGHT. IT DOESN'T?

DID YOU SWALLOW HIM UP, AND TWIST YOUR WAIST FOR HIM?
PROMISCUOUSLY!
SLAP

SO YOU LIKE MEN?
THEN LET ME DO IT TOO.
STOP FUCKING AROUND.
DO I LOOK LIKE I'M JUST FUCKING AROUND?
DON'T UNDERESTIMATE ME
EVEN I WON'T REMAIN A CHILD FOREVER

MASAKI...

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